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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)

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Dear Sir

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. Copies of **Documents B1-B3** and **C1-C171** are enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of any action that closes prosecution in this application (37 CFR 1.97(c)). A fee of \$180 is enclosed (1.97 (c)(2)). Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) that the Information Disclosure Statement be considered.

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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii), Applicant has not submitted copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications. Applicant submits herewith copies of foreign patent documents and non-patent literature in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2).

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It is submitted that the Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.98 and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the listed references.

We believe that no additional fees are required with the submission of this IDS. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, under Order No. 58086-241892.

Respectfully submitted

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